

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY MADRID

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3316

INFO USMISSION USUN IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY RABAT

AMEMBASSY NOUACKCHATT

AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, UN,SS, MO, SP

SUBJ: SPANISH SAHARA

REF: USUN 5144 ET AL, MADRID 7220

1. IN CONVERSATION WITH EMBOFF THIS MORNING, FOREIGN MINISTRY'S DIRGEN OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (BENITO) HAD NOTHING TO ADD TO THE INFORMATION ON SPANISH APPROACH FURNISHED IN USUN'S INFORMATIVE REPORTING. HE DID INDICATE THAT DE PINIES WOULD HAVE CONSIDERABLE LATITUDE IN HANDLING FAST MOVING UN SITUATION AND EXPRESSED HOPE WE WOULD CONTINUE TO KEEP IN CONTACT WITH DE PINIES.

2. THE PRESS IS FULL OF SAHARA STORIES AGAIN, BUT THESE LARGELY REPEAT YESTERDAY'S THEMES (I.E. ICJ HAS VINDICATED SELF-DETERMINATION, UN SECURITY COUNCIL MUST TAKE A HAND IN THE MATTER OF HASSAN'S STRANGE PILGRIMAGE, ETC.) THE MONARCHIST ABC NEWSPAPER DESCRIBED HASSAN'S

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ANNOUNCEMENT AS EXTORTION,BUT EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT NEGOTIATIONS

WERE STILL POSSIBLE.  
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